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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

HOOPA VALLEY TRIBE,

Plaintiff,

v.

UNITED STATES BUREAU OF
RECLAMATION; DEBRA ANNE
HAALAND, in his official capacity as
Secretary of the Interior; MARIA
CAMILLE CALIMLIM TOUTON, in her
official capacity as Commissioner of the
United States Bureau of Reclamation;
ERNEST A. CONANT, in his official
capacity as U.S. Bureau of Reclamation
California-Great Basin Regional Director;
and UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF
THE INTERIOR

Defendants.

Case No. 1:20-cv-01814-JLT-EPG

**NOTICE TO THE COURT THAT FEDERAL DEFENDANTS HAVE ADOPTED THE
TRINITY MANAGEMENT COUNCIL'S RECOMMENDATION TO IMPLEMENT THE
WINTER FLOW PROJECT AND EXPECT TO IMPLEMENT THE PROJECT IN NO
LESS THAN TEN BUSINESS DAYS**

On January 20, 2023, Federal Defendants provided notice that, in no less than five
business days, Federal Defendants may make a determination on adopting the Trinity

Management Council's recommendation on the Winter Flow Project. *See* ECF No. 127. On January 30th, Federal Defendants notified Plaintiff and the Trinity Management Council that the Federal Defendants have adopted the Trinity Management Council's recommendation. Federal Defendants further notified Plaintiff that in no less than ten business days from January 30th they expect to implement the Winter Flow Project.

Federal Defendants hereby notify the Court of the same.

Respectfully submitted this 31st day of January, 2023,

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/s/ J. Scott Thomas
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on January 31, 2023, I electronically filed the forgoing **NOTICE** with the Clerk of Court using the ECF system, which will automatically send email notification to the attorneys of record.

/s/ J. Scott Thomas
JEFFREY SCOTT THOMAS